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In re Utility Application of:

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WINDOW, MUNTIN AND METHOD

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## **AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner For Patents Box Non Fee Amendment Washington, D.C. 20231



Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action mailed 05 January 1999, applicants respond as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS:

5. (Once amended) The method as claimed in claim [5]  $\underline{1}$  further comprising the step of hermetically sealing the two panes of glass.

## **REMARKS:**

In the Office Action mailed 05 January 1999, claims 1-5 and 10-17 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103 as being unpatentable over Mistrick et al. There was further a restriction requirement.

Applicants herein confirm the telephonic election made on 28